

MAIL STOP
AMENDMENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: N.B. Cobb Attorney Docket No.: MEGC121783
Application No.: 10/696,276 Art Unit: 2123 / Confirmation No. 6511
Filed: October 29, 2003 Examiner: J.C. Ochoa
Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PERFORMING OPC USING MODEL
CURVATURE

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Seattle, Washington 98101

February 8, 2007

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

A. Amendment Transmittal

Transmitted herewith are an amendment and full set of replacement drawings in the above-identified application.

- X 1. No additional claim fee is required, as shown below.
 2. The claim fee has been calculated as shown below.

COMPUTATION OF FEE FOR CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest Number Previously Paid For		Present Extra		Rate		Additional Fee
Total Claims	20	-	28	=	0	x	50	=	0
Independent Claims	2	-	3	=	0	x	200	=	0
TOTAL									\$0

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B. Additional Enclosures

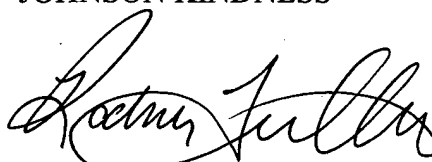
A Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement is enclosed with a citation of references, a check for the submission fee, and copies of foreign references and non-patent literature.

C. Additional Fee Charges or Credit for Overpayment

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.18 which may be required during the entire pendency of the application, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 03-1740. This authorization also hereby includes a request for any extensions of time of the appropriate length required upon the filing of any reply during the entire prosecution of this application. A copy of this document is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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